

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS

pplicants: Julie A. Campbell et al.

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ELECTRICAL TEST PROBE FLEXIBLE SPRING TIP

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Non-Fee Amendment Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Response to Election Requirement is responsive to the Office Action dated October 28, 2002.

REMARKS

Claims 1-27 are pending in the application after this response.

The Examiner states that "this application contains claims directed to . . . species 1-7: Figures 2-7 and 9 respectively." The Examiner has indicated that election to one of the these species is required under 35 USC §121. A provisional election of species 1 (FIG. 2) is made with traverse.